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**PATENT**

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re application of: Daniel E. Resasco, Boonyarach Kitiyanan,  
Jeffrey H. Harwell and Walter Alvarez**

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**Application No.: 09/988,847 Art Unit: 1754**

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**For: METALLIC CATALYTIC PARTICLE Confirmation No.: 9377**  
**FOR PRODUCING SINGLE-WALLED**  
**CARBON NANOTUBES**

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's office action dated July 7, 2003, Paper No. 7, applicants provide herewith amendments to the claims and a response to the rejection.

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.